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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): AIKAWA, et al.
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For: DIGITAL SIGNAL RECORDING METHOD, DIGITAL SIGNAL
REPRODUCING METHOD, DIGITAL SIGNAL RECORDING
AND REPRODUCING METHOD, AND DIGITAL SIGNAL
RECORDING AND REPRODUCING APPARATUS
Group: 2621
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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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July 6, 2006

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 6, 2006, please amend the
above-identified application as listed below and as set forth on the following pages:

Amendments to the Claims

Remarks are included following the amendments